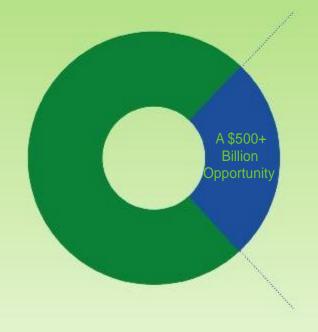


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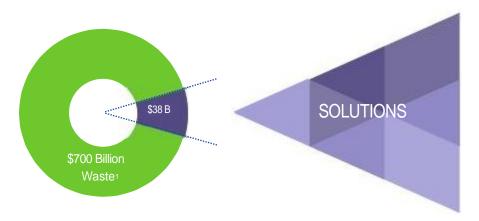
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- Reducing Antibiotic Overuse
- Improving Patient Medication Adherence
- Reducing Vaccine Underuse
- Preventing Hospital Readmissions
- Decreasing Hospital Admissions for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions
- Preventing Medication Errors





Reducing Emergency Department Overuse: A \$38 Billion Opportunity





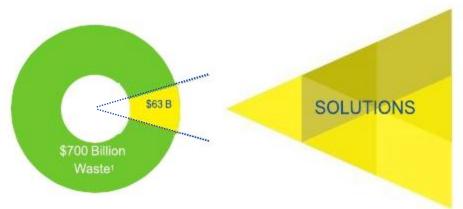
- · Improve Access to Primary Care Services
- Promote Alternative Approaches to Primary Care
- Provide Specialized Services for Vulnerable Populations
- Implement Effective Chronic Disease Management
- · Reform Payment for Providers
- · Develop Financial Incentives for Patients
- · Share Data on ED Utilization

Targeting the \$38 billion spent annually on emergency department overuse requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.²

Reducing Antibiotic Overuse:

A \$63 Billion Opportunity



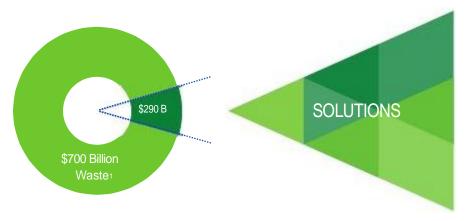


- Increase Use of Appropriate Vaccinations
- · Expand Use of Hospital Guidelines
- · Reduce Antibiotic Use in Critical Patients
- · Reform Payment for Providers
- Improve Patient Education and Medical Leadership
- Implement Regulatory Reform

Targeting the \$63 billion spent annually because of antibiotic overuse requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.

Improving Patient Medication Adherence: A \$290 Billion Opportunity





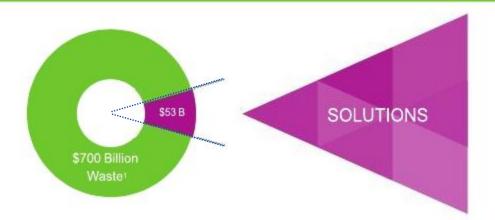
- · Improve Care Coordination
- Enhance Patient Engagement and Education
- Utilize Counseling and Medication Management
- · Expand Screening and Assessment
- · Invest in HIT Infrastructure
- · Employ Quality Measurement
- · Establish Financial Incentives

Reducing the \$290 billion spent annually because of poor medication adherence requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.²

Reducing Vaccine Underuse:

A \$53 Billion Opportunity



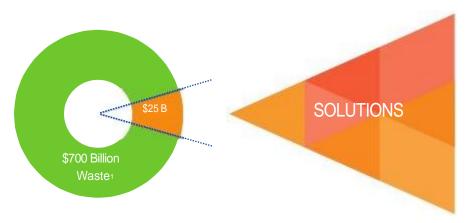


- · Invest in Research and Development
- · Promote Medical Home Models
- · Increase Timely Immunizations of Children
- · Enhance Medical Leadership
- · Encourage Market Entry
- · Revise Funding Models
- Promote Vaccine Registries and IT

Targeting the \$53 billion spent annually because of vaccine underuse requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.²







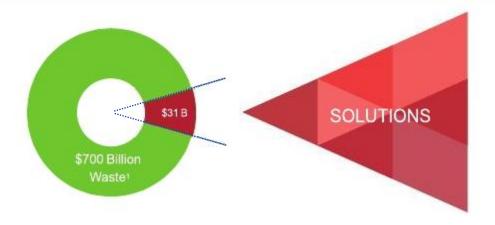
- · Change Admission Procedures
- · Upgrade Discharge Processes
- · Improve Follow-up Care
- · Enhance Technology Interventions
- · Reform Payment for Providers
- · Expand Quality Measurement

Targeting the \$25 billion spent annually on preventable hospital readmissions requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.²

Decreasing Hospital Admissions for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions:

A \$31 Billion Opportunity



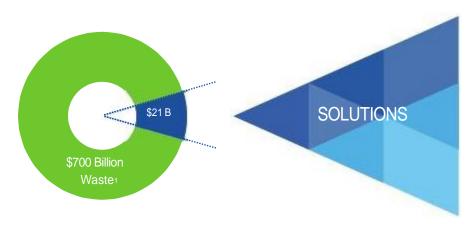


- Increase Access to Community Health
 Centers
- Reduce Patient Travel Time
- Change Medicaid Re-enrollment Policies
- Expand Medicaid Managed Care
- Increase Availability of Primary Care
 Services
- Improve Chronic Disease Management

Targeting the \$31 billion spent annually on ambulatory care sensitive condition (ACSC) hospital admissions requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.²







- · Improve Care Coordination
- · Facilitate Patient Engagement
- · Require Pharmacist Follow-up
- Enhance Technology Interventions
- · Increase Incentive Payments
- · Update Accreditation/Certification

Targeting the \$21 billion spent annually on preventable medication errors requires building on proven practices and implementing policy actions that target the root causes of the problem.